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HEAVY SNOW STORM PLAYS HAVOC IN N. W.

TWO MEN DEAD IN ST. PAUL AS RESULT OF STORM

ALL COMMUNICATION IN AND OUT OF ST. PAUL IS INTERRUPTED

RAIL AND STREET CAR SERVICE IS COMPLETELY TIED UP IN THIS SECTION

(By United Press.)

St. Paul, Feb. 23.—The heavy storm sweeping the northwest has today caused the death of two men in St. Paul.

Frederick Howard, a watchman at the public library, was found dead in a snow drift in front of the building this morning where he had fallen while cleaning the walk. Howard went out at 2 a. m. to clean the walks and a passerby found the body at 7 a. m. this morning.

Gust Baldwin was found dead at Laurel avenue at 7:30 a. m. Death is believed to have been caused by heart failure due to the cold.

The bodies of both men were taken to the county morgue.

Train service in and out of St. Paul was at a standstill this morning, and unless the storm abates, there is little prospect for any change. The street railway company is expefiencing much difficulty in maintaining street car service. There is no attempt made to run the cars on time, but apart from delay, passengers are being handled. Big snow plows are being operated to keep the lines open. Some delay in street cars was caused by stalled automobiles and other vehicles.

All telegraph and telephone communication in and out of the twin cities is almost completely demoralized. Hundreds of poles were blown over, and many cases of broken wires were reported throughout the state. The heavy wind accompanied by the steady fall of snow is throwing up great drifts and the temperature is slowly dropping.

Traffic in the south district of St. Paul is almost entirely blocked by snow drifts. Conditions in Minneapolis are reported as being almost identical.

Duluth Paralyzed by Big Storm

Duluth, Feb. 23.—Duluth is buried in snow.

Business is at a standstill, and transportation paralyzed today, said by residents to be the worst storm in years.

No attempt is being made to pass through but the main business places. Suburban transportation is at a standstill for the remainder of the week.

Stores and wholesale houses are opened with small crews, but there is practically no business being done.

Grocers, market men and butchers promise no deliveries.

In some places the snow is over the trolley wires and houses, and people have tunneled their way out if they have gotten out at all.

Snow plows put to work on the principal streets last night have accomplished little because of the stiff gale which piled up the drifts to their former height behind them.

All members of the fire department have been ordered on duty to watch against conflagration, and motor transportation has been abandoned by the fire department with horses and sleds substituted.

Chicago in Grip of Storm

Chicago, Feb. 23.—The storm and cold wave sweeping from the northwest held the Great Lakes district in its grip today.

A sudden drop in temperature accompanied by a biting wind, followed the storm Washington's birthday. The storm is the worst in fifty years.

Thousands of dollars of damage was done by rains and sleet which was followed by the heavy snow storm, and blizzard throughout northern Wisconsin and Minnesota.

Wires are down, cutting off the Twin Cities from all outside communication for more than twenty-four hours. No telegraph or telephone companies could reach any point in the vicinity of Minneapolis or St. Paul today.

Railroad transportation was tied up. Rivers became swollen due to the warm weather Tuesday and Wednesday, but danger of flood was believed past in most districts when the mercury dropped again.

Points in northern Wisconsin reported snow to a depth of twenty-six inches, and still falling. All rural schools were dismissed.

Milwaukee reported all train service was tied up. Two or three trains which tried to get out for the northwest encountered heavy drifts and were snowed in at small towns along the way.

BAD FIRE AT SUPERIOR, WIS.

(By United Press.)

Superior, Wis., Feb. 23.—Fire here today threatened to destroy an entire business block. The fire was gotten under control last night, but broke out early this morning.

Firemen were handicapped by the severe cold and heavy snow. The fire started in the basement of a confectionery store, and fanned by the high wind rapidly spread to other buildings. Two firemen were overcome by the dense smoke. They were F. Schaefer and A. Cowan.

Continental Train Is Derailed; 15 Persons Seriously Injured

(By United Press.)

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 23.—Reports received here today said that the Continantal train of the Canadian National railway was derailed at Malville, Sask., in weather forty degrees below zero.

Fifteen persons are known to have been seriously injured, the report said, and some of them may die.

American Bible Society Outlines Its Policy

(By United Press.)

New York, Feb. 23.—The change that has been anniunced in the manufacturing policy of the American Bible Society seems to have been misunderstood in some quarters and the officers of the society have issued the following statement:

The American Bible Society, contrary to certain reports has not given up its publishing business in which it has been announced in the manufacturyears, and has had no thought of so doing. It will continue as a publishing house, issuing the Scriptures in more than 150 languages and dialects, having its work done through various printing concerns. It will continue to control its own plates, so as to preserve the accuracy of its versions for which it has received recognition and acknowledgement.

This change of policy in its printing program has been dictated by the fact, that the society is convinced that it can do its printing more economically elsewhere than it can by conducting its own printing establishment.

There will be an actual increase in the society's output and this change of policy marks a distinct advance and is in no sense a retrenchment in its program of Scripture publication.

The society has no though of moving its headquarters from New York. Its executive offices continue in the Bible House, Astor Place, New York City. The officers of the society are: Churchill H. Cutting, President; William I. Haven and Frank H. Mann, General Secretaries; Gilbert Darlington, Treasurer.

BISHOP BELIEVES DRY AMENDMENT WAS BIG MISTAKE

Chicago, Feb. 23—Bishop Thomas F. Gailor, president of the national council of the Episcopal church, said in an address that he believed "the eighteenth amendment was a mistake." He also said he believed in the modification of the Volstead law.

"I am in favor of morality," he said, "And I personally observe the Volstead law buut I am opposed to putting the sumptuary laws of so drastic a character in the constitution. It partakes of the old philosophy that matter is inherently evil. I am not speaking in the interests of the underworld but in the interests of intelligent upstanding men."

"GET LaFOLLETTE" IS THE CRY OF G. O. P. REGULARS

By L. C. MARTIN
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Washington, Feb. 23.—'Fighting Bob' LaFollette's political career has been marked from the beginning by mass attacks upon him. Time and again the word has gone forth that LaFollette was "through," that his enemies at last had him down and almost out, and that he would retire to private life.

But LaFollette has emerged time and again from the heap with his bushy gray pompadour hardly ruffled, while his enemies have retired in bad order to patch up their hurts and form for a new assault.

This year the greatest assault upon LaFollette which he has yet been called on to face is being prepared. The whole power and influence of the Harding administration are behind it. Its slogan and battlecry is covered by two words—"Beat LaFollette." Its generalissimo in the field is Senator Irvine Lenroot, who with LaFollette represents Wisconsin in the senate.

LaFollette will seek renomination this summer in the Republican senatorial primary. Thus far no one with sufficient hardihood to oppose him has been found. But under direction of the Lenroot forces, a committee of forty-four "sane progressives" has been selected to find someone in the state who can successfully keep the Rpublican nomination from LaFollette. The fight against him is based on his radical leanings and on his utter disregard of his party. The whole idea is to drive LaFollette out of public life, because he has refused to be a cog in the Republican machine.

Insurgency like his, when exercised in so high a place as the United States Senate, is dangerous, Republican leaders feel. They are spreading in Wisconsin the doctrine that LaFollette gives the state a bad name; that people think the whole states is composed of "reds" and bolshevists.

If LaFollette would work with his teammates in the Republican lineup in the Senate things would not be so bad. But the party feels he is a liability; he is called a Republican, and he has a vote, but he uses it oftener against his party than for it. The Republicans in the Senate do not need LaFollette's vote right now, but they do not forget the time when their control of the Senate hung on the slender thread of one vote. Furthermore, LaFollette's example is felt to have a demoralizing effect, stirring to unseemly independence of party rule certain other senators. If LaFollette can be disciplined and made an example, it will be easier to control other insurgents, the G. O. P. chiefs feel.

With full appreciation of LaFollette's power in Wisconsin, administration leaders set out months ago to "nibble away" his support. They ignored him in dispensing federal patronage—the "pie" that makes the political game worth while. Even minor postoffices were withheld from LaFollette men, and given to Lenroot partisans. Lenroot was given all the help possible in building up a machine that would be able to take LaFollette's measure in this year's campaign.

STRIKE ASSESSMENT CUT BY PRINTERS

In 10 months of controversy over the 44 hour week, the International Typographical union has collected $7,106,362 from its members for strike benefits and expended $6,224,810, according to John McParland, president of the union, who is in Minneapolis.

Mr. McParland discussed the situation late yesterday at a meeting of the members of Minneapolis local No. 42. He said 7,950 printers are on strike in the United States and Canada, and that 1,394 commercial shops are holding out. Conditions have not changed in the last two months, he said. There are 448 men out in Minnesota.

Money for the strike benefit fund, Mr. McParland said, had been obtained by a 10 per cent assessment, but he said that for the next five months the assessment would be cut to 5 per cent.

Phi Beta Kappa Founded in 1776.

The Phi Beta Kappa college fraternity is the oldest of the Greek letter societies. It was founded at William and Mary college, Virginia, in 1776.

ELECTRIC 'JUICE' IS BIGGEST PRIZE AT MUSCLE SHOALS

REAL ESTATE SPECULATORS BUSY IN CITIES BORDERING PROJECT ALL PULL FOR AUTO MAKER

(By United Press.)

Florence, Ala., Feb. 23—The Muscle Shoals project, which is now attracting nationwide interest, is seven-eighths waterpower for industry and one-eighth fertilizer for agriculture—and politics. During the controversy at Washington over disposal of the plant the fertilizer end is being played up loudly on the brasses and drums—the bait, apparently, for votes in congress. But the real meat in the cocoanut is that of horse-power for other enterprises.

In the vicinity of Florence the Tennessee river has an undeveloped potential waterpower which is being heralded as "a second Niagara." As part of its war activities, the government spent something over $1 000,000 on its properties in the district. This includes the unfinished Wilson power dam, on which $17,000,000 has been spent, and two nitrate plants which cost some $87,000,000.

Worth $9,000,000 as Junk

The offer of Henry Ford, which was submitted at the solicitation of the government is to give Uncle Sam $5,000,000 for the nitrate properties, which cost $87,000,000, which could not be rebuilt today for less than $45,000,000 and which have a value of between $9,000,000 and $16,000,000 if scrapped and sold as junk.

Mr. Ford will pay $5,000,000 for all this, if the government will put in $40,000,000 to $53,0000,000 more to finish the two dams and power plants and will give him a 100 year monopoly on the waterpower with renewed provisions at the end of a century.

He is to pay nothing for the power, but he will pay interest on what he estimates it will cost to finish the dams and plant. He will also pay what he estimates to be the cost of completing the work, taking 100 years to finish the payment. At that, engineers estimate the full payment would be far below the actual cost to the government.

South Hampered by Capital

The south, which had been hampered by lack of capital, naturally is for industrial development. The Ford offer, if accepted, simply means this: To subsidize an individual manufacturer to develop his industries here and incidentally the resources of the region, by handing him property that cost $87,000,000 at a salvage price of $5,000,000 and granting him a free monopoly for at least 100 years on waterpower, said to amount to 850,000 potential horsepower, all to be developed by the government.

This amount of horsepower, it may be said, is an exaggeration by the Muscle Shoals publicity agents, as will be shown in a later article.

"Fords Offer or Bust"

But the south, especially this corner of Alabama and Tennessee, is strong for the Ford proposal. It wants the use of the waterpower to be concentrated here instead of being sent to Memphis, Nashville, Chattanooga, Birmingham and other centers. In his visits here Mr. Ford has said he will put up factories for flivver parts and other plants.

The ordinary worker talks of the $5 day; land owners see values jumping; owners of mineral deposits see wealth dawning. Down here it is "Ford's offer or bust." For it or against it, that's the way they line them up.

The citizenry speaks about "if Ford comes," as ancient Jerusalem did of the second coming. Mr. Ford spoke of "a manufacturing city 75 miles long." The natives have visualized it. Already they hear the noon whistles blowing and the Muscle Shoals district transformed into another Birmingham.

Real Estate Speclators Busy

Meanwhile real estate speculators from near and far have descended upon Florence, Sheffild and Tuscumbia, the "tri-cities," and another realty boom is on.

Meantime, too, people in the north and west are asking where Muscle Shoals is, what the government has there in the shape of property and what is on the Christmas tree for the flivver king if his offer is accepted. This tour of inquiry was to get first hand information.

Muscle Shoals is a barrier in the Tennesee river in the northwest corner of Alabama near the Tennessee line. The shoals section extends from Brown's Island (171 miles below Chattanooga) to Florence, Ala., a distance of 36.6 miles. The river has a drop in the section of 134 feet.

The width between banks varies from 1,000 to 9,60 feet. It is a noble stream, and at Paducah, Ky., 256 miles below here, where it empties into the Ohio its low water discharge is approximately the same as that of the Ohio. At Florence, the discharge of the stream varies from about 7,200 second feet at low water to 499,000 second feet at extreme high water.

The estimate most used is that the section ocntains 850,000 potential horsepower. This, however, is maximum power at high water.

The Government Projects

1—Wilson Dam or No. 1—This is some two miles up river from Florence. It is one-third finished, at a cost of $17,000,000. Government engineers estimate it will take $28,500,000 to complete the dam and power plant, which will have generators and turbines for 600,000 horsepower. Work on this dam has ceased. When complete the dam would back the water up river some 16 miles to the site of the proposed Dam No. 3, where a plant of 250,000 horsepower capacity would be installed. The cost would be $25,000,000, according to government engineers.

2—United States Nitrate Plant No. 1—This is a plant for the making of ammonium nitrate by the so-called synthetic process of nitrogen fixation. It is on a reservation of 1,700 acres, and its cost was $13,539,000. It was not a success. It has only a value as scrap and real estate.

3—United States Nitrate Plant No. 2—This is at Muscle Shoals, across the river from Florence. It cost $65,447,000. Also a 60,000 kilowatt steam generating plant built at Gorgas on the Warrior river, 90 miles away, cost $5,000,000. Including items not embraced in the figures the government spent on the two nitrate plants, some $87,000,000. No. 2 is the plant to be used for fertilizer making.

The visitor to this property is impressed with the permanence of the buildings and equipment. Plant No. 2 is a complete industrial city, electrically driven, for one special line of manufacture. To operate at capacity it would employ 2,200 workers. It has been idle three years.

Camps Accomodate 20,000

Including the construction camps, it can accomodate 20,000 persons. It has mammoth buildings filled with machinery. It is on a reservation laid out with fine roads, 2,300 acres in all. There are 155 permanent buildings. Colonies of bungalows cluster on the hillsides and snuggle in the ravines.

There is an electrically driven pumping station that cost $644,000, with a capacity of 45,000 gallons per minute and a reservoir containing 65,000,000 gallons. In one building is the largest liquid air plant in the world, with a battery of thirty high-pressure compressors, a plant that cost $4,005,000, and is filled with high grade machinery just as good as the day it was installed, much of it of a type that might be converted, if dismantled to other uses.

On the river bank is a 60,000 kilowatt steam generating station, which cost $12,300,000. Its three stacks dominate the landscape for miles around. With the plant at Gorgas, it generates current enough to run the establishment. Structurally and mechanically, the power plant appears equal to similar units, say of the Minneapolis General Electric company.

The 60,000 kilowatt station here, engineers estimate, could not be replaced for less than $8,000,000 at a conservative figure. All told, engineers say, the two power plants at the nitrate property are worth today at least $10,000,000 to $12,000,000 They are now bringing in rentals of $200,000 a year. They are only part of what Mr. Ford bids $5,000,000 for.

SCHOONER RUNS ON ROCKS; LIVES OF CREW ARE LOST

(By United Press.)

Nogalis, Mex., Feb. 23—All lives of the crew were lost when the schooner Aurora, with Captain Martinax, went on a reef near the entrance of the Vera Cruz harbor, according to Mexican press reports received here today.

The Aurora passengers were rescued by Vera Cruz guards in a small boat, according to the advices. They were returning for the captain and the crew when the Aurora slipped off the reef and sank. None of the crew of eleven were rescued.

REVIVE ANCIENT GLORY OF GALWAY

By CHAS. McCANN
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

Dublin (By Mail).—Galway will become the principal Irish port if plans of Free State leaders are successful.

Revival of the ancient port, whose deterioration began three hundred years ago after over four hundred years of commercial importance would cut a day off the trans-Atlantic mail service if airplanes were used between it and England.

Under direct British rule, Irish ports were at a disadvantage, British ports were favored, and because of discriminatory taxes, it was often cheaper for a ship from the United States bearing cargo for Ireland to discharge its cargo at an English port for re-shipment back to Dublin or Queenstown.

Under the Free State, it will be possible and advantageous for shipping to ply direct between Ireland and ports of the world.

Irish leaders hope to revive Galway as one of the principal ports of Europe. Its harbor is one of the best—thirty miles long and ten wide, sheltered by the Arran Islands. Its principal disadvantages at present are docks that will not accomodate large vessels and lack of railways. Both of these are to be remedied.

With prospect of both English and American capital coming into the country, leaders hope it will be possible to make Galway the principal Irish port.

It is situated in the middle of the west coast, and is the nearest port to those of northern North America. Sir John Alcock "jumped off" for his trans-Atlantic flight from a town near it.

The railway problem can be solved easily. There is a direct line to Dublin, with a junction for Belfast, two-thirds of the way east. The principal necessity is for speeding up the service.

Galway's last revival as a port was between 1858 and 1864, when a line of steamers traded between it and the United States. It was best known centuries ago. Its oldest surviving church dates from the fourteenth century. It was considered important enough to be captured in the thirteenth century, and it dates back centuries before that.

Its survival would permit a logical stop-over for vessels both to English and principally Scotch ports.

STREET CARS IN COLLISION; DRIVER IS BADLY INJURED

(By United Press.)

St. Paul, Feb. 23.—George Kloster, motorman, was seriously injured when two cars on a St. Paul suburban line collided at 8 a. m. today.

The cars, which were running close behind each other, collided when the car in front stopped because of a huge snow drift across the track. Kloster, who was running the rear train, was unable to stop, and his car crashed into the other at a high rate of speed. Kloster was taken to a Stillwater hospital where both legs were amputated.

FATAL ACCIDENT AT BIG FLOUR MILL

(By United Press.)

Minneapolis, Feb. 23.—Carl Wick, 24, was drowned yesterday when he fell into a boiler at the Washburn-Crosby mills. A platform on which he was standing gave way, and Wick was thrown into the water. His body was recovered after three hours' search.

NORTHWEST NEWS

(By United Press.)

Memorial Services Held

Minneapolis, Feb. 23.—Memorial services marking the anniversary of the birth of George Washington were held here today at the annual meeting of the Minnesota D. A. R. Sessions were at the Leamington hotel.

The convention will name a nominating board to suggest officers and delegates to the national congress of the D. A. R. to be held in Washington, April 16. About 30 Minnesota women are expected to attend the national congress.

The second year book of the organization in charge of Miss Beatrice Longfellow is in circulation at the convention.

Dairy School for Farmers

Stillwater, Feb. 23.—L. V. Wilson, dairy specialist of the University of Minnesota agricultural school, was here today to conduct a dairy school for Washington county farmers. A Holstein Friesian convention and sale and a Guernsey breeders convention and sale are in progress.

Tolstoy in St. Paul

St. Paul, Feb. 23.—Llye Tolstoy, son of the famed Russian writer was a guest in St. Paul today.

Count Tolstoy who is as widely known throughout the world as his father, was to speak on "Russia" at an open forum of the St. Paul association.

Rate Discrimination

Fargo, Feb. 23.—Alleged discrimination in railroad rates between Minnesota and North Dakota not only means that North Dakota shippers are paying higher rates but are assessed also for Minnesota taxes according to figures of G. M. Springer, traffic expert for the North Dakota farm bureau.

Here is the way Mr. Springer figures it.

Gross earnings—defined as business beginning or ending in the state, are assessed in proportion of mileage covered in state to entire mileage.

Taking a 60,000 pound car of sugar as an example, Mr. Springer showed it cost $330 to haul this car from Minneapolis to Mandan. It is hauled 249 miles or 54.42 per cent of the way in Minnesota and 201 miles or 45.58 per cent of the way in North Dakota. It costs $120 to haul the car to Moorhead and North Dakota should be credited with $210 of the gross earnings whereas she is in taxation credited with only 45.48 per cent the $330 or 150.41, a loss of $59 on a single car. At five per cent this is a tax of $2.98.

Druggist Fined

Lakota, Feb. 23.—A local druggist was fined $25 in suit brought by state food commission for sale of Wright condensed smoke, for meat, alleged to contain pyroligeous acid.

MARKET REPORT

South St. Paul Livestock

South St. Paul, Feb. 23.—Estimated receipts at the union stockyards today: Cattle, 1,100; calves, 1,300; hogs, 2,500; sheep, 500; cars, $185.

Cattle—Beef steers, $5.25 to $8.55; cows and heifers, $3.25 to $7; canners and cutters, $2.25 to $3.50; butcher bulls, $3 to $4; veal calves, $3 to $9; stock feeding steers, $5.50 to $7.50.

Hogs—$8 to $10.35.

Sheep—Lambs, $8 to $15.25; ewes, $3 to $8; wethers, $6 to $9.25; yearlings, $9 to $13; bucks, $3 to $3.50.

MAKE EVERY ATTEMPT TO FIND THE CAUSE OF ACCIDENT

(By United Press.)

Washington, Feb. 23.—Major General Patrick, chief of the army air service is determined to uncover the real cause of the destruction of the army dirigible Roma, no matter what difficulties confront the board of inquiry, he said today.

Bearskins in Summer.

The Turkish peasantry in Asia Minor believe in keeping out the heat as well as the cold, and it is not uncommon to see in many parts of the country people wearing huge bearskin coats in the midst of summer, with the thermometer standing at 100 degrees.

THE WEATHER

Forecast for next 24 hours: Minnesota—Snow tonight and possible Thursday. Much colder. Cold wave in west and north portions tonight.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

There will be no prayer meeting at the First Baptist church tonight.

Money to loan on Farm and City property—no delay—money always on hand. Citizen State Bank. 195tf

Mrs. R. Carlson of Darling is visiting friends in Brainerd.—Little Falls Daily Transcript.

Come to the musicale at the Swedish Baptist church tonight. 1t

Personal property taxes must be paid on or before February 28 or a penalty will accrue.

A snow plow was used in city streets Thursday afternon to open a highway for cars and vehicles.

Furnaces repaired and chimne s swept. Drop card to 715 N. E. Oak. 222 2

Mrs. Laura Dunn arrived from Brainerd Tuesday and is the guest of relatives here.—Little Falls Daily Transcript.

BASKETBALL

Last Game of Season
BRAINERD vs. BEMIDJI
High School Gym
Friday, Feb. 24

Brainerd school children were greatly pleased over the heavy snowfall and skieed around to their heart's content.

Come and bring your friend to the social at the Swedish Baptist church tonight. 1t

Loyal Order of Moose

Regular meeting Friday evening at 7:15 at Elks hall. Nomination of officers. Initiation of candidates. Dancing and lunch. H. R. Weidemann, Secretary.

An X ray examination disclosed a bone broken in the ankle of Zita Miller, who sprained it several days ago and is at her home, 719 South Broadway.

Constipation and Headaches are conquered by HOLLISTER'S GOLDEN NUGGET TABLETS—without fail try them. H. P. Dunn. Adv.

L. A. Snelling of Brainerd arrived in the city Wednesday afternoon for a visit with friends and to attend the Masonic meeting in the evening.—Little Falls Daily Transcript.

The League of Women Voters lunch, which was to have featured Miss Ruth Mitchell Friday afternoon, has been postponed. Ladies interested should watch the Dispatch for announcement of new date set.

Initiation
Modern Woodmen of America

B shure 2 Kum
4-2-C the phun
Hellup get the sapling's gote.
Friday Feb. 24th, 8 P. M.

Community Social at Swedish Baptist church tonight postponed because of storm to Saturday night. 1t

The fire department responded to an alarm at 6:55 Wednesday night, there being a chimney fire at the home of W. W. Bane, 21 Bluff avenue, which was quickly extinguished.

A Bargain—Five 9x12 Linoleum Rugs $12.00. Louis Hostager. 220-t4mtfs

Snowpiles along sidewalk edges are now as high as those which were carted away by the city a few days ago. In fact two days has piled up as much snow in Brainerd as the whole accumulation of the past winter.

John J. Cummin, of St. Paul, came to Brainerd Wednesday morning to see his father, J. J. Cummins, Sr., who been sick for a period with a bad cold. Mr. Cummins, Jr., like other travelers is marooned in Brainerd and will leave as soon as a train is made up for the south.

For Sale—Maytag used electric washer. A real bargain. Brainerd Electric Co. 216tf

The Presbyterian Aid society will be entertained at the manse on Friday afternoon by Mesdames Kelly, McKay and Risk. All members are urged to be present. A supper for the men will be served at 5:30 o'clock.

Room and board at Ideal Hotel, $7 and $8 a week. 188tf

Bring your old furniture, guns, etc. to the new "Repair Shop" at 306 South Broadway. P. H. Rardin, prop. Phone 789. 1t

The fire motor truck was out on Thursday afternoon helping to break roads in the city. At the fire hall a team was added to the service and a sled, to be used in answering fire alarms in the suburbs, reserving the motor truck for calls in the business section.

The strength and sturdiness of our people is being undermined by Constipation—it reduces the value of your food, impoverishes your blood, weakens your whole system. Take HOLLISTER'S GOLDEN NUGGET TABLETS for Constipation. You'll get results every time. H. P. Dunn. Adv.

The Rev. Arthur C. Smith, pastor of the First Baptist church has been called to attend two important meetings in Minneapolis. On Wednesday an advance committee meeting for a thorough organization of the Baptist Young Peoples Union of America which holds it annual convention in St. Paul the latter part of June. On Thursday a meeting of directors for continuation work in the New World Movement. Rev. Dr. W. H. Bowles a national representative will address the conference.

EVERY CANADIAN CAST THREE VOTES FOR HER AS CARNIVAL QUEEN



Miss Hazel Tomkins has been elected queen of Winnipeg's winter carnival by a vote totaling more than three times the entire population of Canada. Miss Tomkins, who is shown in her royal robe, received 27,995,000 votes, nearly twice as many as were cast for Miss Katherine Mofaggart, who was second. Miss Tomkins is an expert on skates, skis and snowshoes.

WALKER SANATORIUM GETS FORBES FAVOR

Washington, Feb. 18.—Colonel Chas. R. Forbes, director of the veterans bureau, thinks favorably of the plan to enlarge the state sanatorium at Walker, Minn., for the accommodation of tubercular soldiers. The plan was submitted to Colonel Forbes by Ralph W. Wheelock, member of the Minnesota board of control, and Dr. Robinson Bosworth, executive agent of the state advisory commission for the sanatorium. Nothing will be done, however, until congress has acted on the recommendation of Colonel Forbes for an appropriation of $16,000,000 for hospital facilities for disabled soldiers.

Mr. Wheelock presented a letter from Dr. T. M. Hall, superintendent of the sanatorium, at Walker, stating that a new building could be constructed which would accommodate 500 additional patients. This could be completed by next fall, the letter said.

"Soldiers residing in Minnesota" Dr. Hall said, "now are being cared for at Walker. With the enlargement of the facilities 500 patients could be cared for. I am informed by the director of the tenth district that many patients in the northwest are being sent to the southwest. The sanatorium at Walker has the same advantages as Saranac, N. Y., which is patronized by persons suffering from tuberculosis."

Mr. Wheelock left for home yesterday, but Dr. Bosworth expects to remain here several days.

WALKER

Fred Grindall of the Walker Auto company attended the convention of Ford dealers at St. Paul.

Miss Ethel Olson, of the county auditor's office, went to St. Paul Wednesday morning. She was accompanied by her little niece and nephew, Billie and Mabel Olson, who are on a visit to their grandmother, Mrs. Fred Slipp.

Dr. Wilcox has returned from a short visit at his old home at Albert Lea.

O. A. Larson was a business visitor in Brainerd one day last week and landed an order for two car loads of poles. One car will be used by the city of Brainerd for electric light extensions and repairs. The other order was from Dr. Thabes and associates who will erect a telephone line to their summer homes on the lakes.

During January County Auditor C. D. Bacon paid a premium of $7.50 each on 49 wolves, making a total of $367.50. During the first half of February 32 pelts have been received.

The Everyday Sins.

I have heard men, in family prayer, confess their wickedness and pray that God would forgive them the sins that they got from Adam, but I do not know that I ever heard a father in family prayer confess that he had a bad temper. I never heard a mother confess in family prayer that she was irritable and snappish. I never heard persons bewail those sins which are the engineers and artificers of the moral condition of the family. The angels would not know what to do with a prayer that began, "Lord, Thou knowest that I am a scold."—Henry Ward Beecher.

Uniform Came in Handy.

I gave up my profession as trained nurse after my marriage and sometimes wore my uniforms for house dresses. One day, while in the front room, I heard the back door open and close. I was alone in the house and on going to investigate I saw a rough-looking stranger coming through the kitchen straight toward me. Presence of mind came to my rescue. I raised my hand and said, "Don't come in here, we have a scarlet fever patient." He quickly scanned my uniform and made a hasty retreat through the rear door. —Chicago Journal.

The Girl Proposes.

The inhabitants of Himia, in the Greek archipelago, are engaged almost entirely in sponge fishing. When a girl desires to marry she waits until she has obtained the number of sponges from the sea that corresponds with the number of years she has lived. These she places in a silk net, which she presents to the man of her choice. Should he refuse, his chances of obtaining another bride are remote, as usually the Himian maidens shun him as a punishment.

Recognition of Goethe.

It is a great mistake to suppose that Goethe, whose star had already risen, was at once generally recognized. His "Gotz von Berlichingen" and his "Werther" had been enthusiastically received, but no more so than works of commonplace bunglers, and Goethe was assigned a very small niche in the temple of literature.—Heine.

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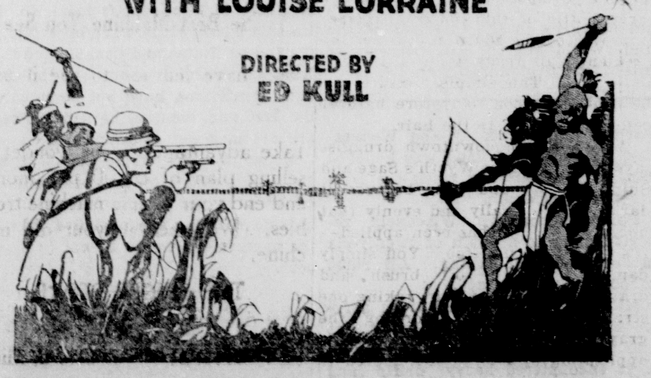
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Miss Mary Drury Gave a Splendid Rendition of "Gettysburg Address" of Lincoln

One of the most deeply interesting celebrations of Washington's birthday was that at the high school on Wednesday morning. In spite of the depth of snow and blizzard, practically the whole high school, pupils and teachers, were present.

Rev. J. E. Cadwell, pastor of the Peoples Congregational church, spoke and brought out the two points, self control and perseverance, as the two dominating qualities of Washington and Lincoln, and offered them as worthy examples for the youth of America to follow.

The high school orchestra played and the glee club sang.

Lincoln's "Gettysburg Address" was splendidly given by Miss Mary Drury.

Donald Closterman read an appropriate selection.

ROTARY BIRTHDAY GIFT OFFER

Send Letters Today on 17th Anniversary Offering Its Services to All Civic Organizations

Unique among birthday gifts is that which the Rotary club of this city distributed today as a remembrance of the seventeenth anniversary of the organization of the first Rotary Club in Chicago in 1905. The Rotary gift took the form of a free offer of service to every one of the heads of city executive departments from the mayor down and to the heads of all civic organizations.

The officers of the local club explain that this is done for the purpose of getting before the city officials and the heads of organizations in the city that the purpose of a Rotary club is to be of service to other organizations. Rotary, the officers explain rarely takes up for the purpose of carrying on itself any civic movement. The whole object of the organization is service to the community through the existing organizations. Because of the fact that there are agencies at hand to carry on almost every form of civic enterprise, Rotarians act only in initiating movements and turning them over to the one of these existing agencies whose regular business it is to handle such things.

But the responisbility of Rotarians does not end with the turning over of such movements. It devolves upon the Rotarians who are members of the organization to which such a movement is given, to see that the organization carries it out and to call on the whole Rotary club for further assistance in carrying it out, being understood that the movement is a movement of the agency selected and that such agency and not the Rotary Club, shall receive all the credit of the accomplishment.

It is thus, the Rotary officers explain, that the club seeks to emphasize its creed of "He Profits Most Who Serves Best."

The seventeenth anniversary of the organization of Rotary finds the movement has pread to twenty-five countries where more than a thousand clubs have approximately 80,000 members. In every club today anniversary exercises are being held and pledges of service given similar to those that are being given here.

Artist's Circle

The Artists' Circle of the M. E. church was entertained by Mrs. Hilda Marken and Mrs. Martha Nitterauer on Tuesday afternon at the home of the former 618 North 9th street.

A delicious luncheon was served and a most enjoyable time was spent by all. Those who attended were Lorena Lammon, Agnes Michael, Emma Sorenson, Ruth Paine, Augusta Paine, Mary Lee, Helen Bispham and Jennie Skauge.

Sheridan-Edwards

Miss Leah A. Sheridan and Omer F. Edwards wer married Tuesday evening, February 21, at the home of Judge J. T. Sanborn. Witnesses to the ceremony were Mrs. H. E. Ebinger Jr. and Miss Marguerite H. Ebinger.

Hail to the Chief.

"At one moment," an afternoon visitor to the lounge of a London hotel writes, "I counted five women powdering their noses; three were attending to the intricacies of manicure; another was tactfully brushing her cheek with rouge, while the majority were puffing away at cigarettes of various shapes and sizes." Did he expect them to be singing a chorus of welcome as he made his entrance, or what?—Westminster Gazette.

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Moonlight Schools Replace Moonshine Stills



So reports Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart, who is presiding over the convention of Delegates to the Illiteracy Conference in San Francisco. Mrs. Stewart is from Kentucky, famous for its "moonshine stills" which she says are being replaced by "moonlight schools" where the parents of schoolchildren are taught the same lessons as the youngsters.

Get After What You Want.

It is no use just sitting down and waiting for things to happen. Life is "round the corner," and you've got to run after it, and run fast, too, with your head up and your mind alert. Wishes are all very well, but they must not master you. You've got to master them. Long, yearn, desire, as much as you like, it is a good sign, but, oh, don't put your wishbone in the place where your backbone ought to be.—Exchange.

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WALKER

Mrs. Agnes MacNeal of Winnipeg, Canada, was in Walker the first of the week to visit with her father and brother, Charles and Frank Kinkele.

Mrs. D. Smith and baby of St. Paul arrived in Walker and will visit for a while with Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Dan Prescott.

Miss Jean McCarthy and Miss Lucy Dougherty of Beltrami were here this week visiting friends.

Gustave Kulander and William Paulson, both of Walker, celebrated their birthdays Thursday. Mr. Kulander was 48 years old and Mr. Paulson was 65.

Miss Lembke, operator of the Walker telephone central, was operated on for appendicitis at the Walker hospital.

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PINE RIVER

Mrs. Ole Nelson, mother of Mrs. Robert Kinler, died at the hospital in Brainerd. She had been ill but a few days, having been stricken while here visiting at the Kinler home. She was 56 years old. Burial was made at Staples.

Heavy snowdrifts have been bothering the mail carriers.

Ancient Earrings.

The earring is not a modern invention, for more than 20 centuries ago the daughter of Aristotle wore golden hoops in her ears. The philosopher's daughter's earrings were found in her tomb near Chalois by exploring archaeologists and it is asserted modern workmanship cannot produce their equal.—Indianapolis News.

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THE YAP TREATY

The treaty with Japan which satisfactorily settles the dispute between the United States and that counry concerning the Island of Yap, as submitted by the Washington Conference, was this week favorably acted upon by the Senate Foreign Relations committee and will be recommended for ratification.

Among the other decisions of the Paris conference which were reversed by the Washington armament conference was that regarding Japan's mandate over the Island of Yap. Japan's autocratic control of this island, which was of vital consequence to the United States, was agreed to by former President Wilson at Paris, and the agreement was embodied in the covenant of the League of Nations. By this agreement Japan secured absolute monopoly of cable communications on this island, which is one of the most important cable and radio centers of the Pacific.

This was one of the points raised in the United States Senate, along with that of the disposition of Shantung, against the ratification of the Versailles treaty and the League of Nations covenant.

As agreed in this treaty, any modifications made by the League of Nations in the mandate held by Japan must be made subject to the consent of the United States, and further, that Japan will furnish the United States a duplicate of the report which she makes to the League of Nations regarding the administration of the island under her mandate. The United States will have free access to the island on an entire equality with Japan or any other nation in all that relates to the existing Yap-Guam cable, and will have the right to lay any other cable hereafter, under the terms of this treaty. There are also other important privileges granted by the treaty.

TRI-STATE BOOST CONGRESS

The second annual meeting of the Tri-State Development Congress, to be held at Milwaukee, March 2 and 3, promises to prove a gathering of considerable interest and importance. The congress, which originated following a meeting in the office of State Auditor Preus in St. Paul shortly after he was elected governor, but before he had taken office, held its first meeting in St. Paul a year ago.

At the coming meeting concerted action by the states of Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan will be taken on colonization plans for soldiers under the Federal bonus act, campaigns against land sharks who mislead settlers in new districts, greater development of the lake regions of the three states as the summer playground of America, and other interesting problems of the day.

The lakes-to-the-sea waterway projects will be pushed at the Congress, and the importance of national and state rural credit programs will be discussed, as well as farm marketing programs.

Intensive land reclamation methods, reports on the land clearing movements in the three states, protection of settlers by the states and other like topics will be taken up. Altogether, the Congress promises to be a gathering of typical Northwestern boosters who will endeavor to accomplish something along practical lines to develop the rich and vast resources of the three states. A number of prominent Minnesota officials are announced to take part in the program and can be depended upon to do some good boosting for the Gopher State.

WOMEN VOTERS CAMPAIGNING

The League of Women Voters is taking a keen interest in politics and is likely to exert much influence in the approaching campaign. In Minnesota they will undertake, for one thing, to carry to all parts of the state their demand for a new educational program, and purpose to make acceptance or rejection of that program one of their tests of candidates for the state legislature.

At a state executive board meeting in Minneapolis last week each district president of the League pledgd herself to launch discussions of the program in district meetings, in the hope of stirring up opposition and making an issue of the program. A special questionnaire has been prepared for an informal survey of Minnesota opinion on the legislative program, which is to be sent out to candidates.

The Federal Reserve Board, in its annual report to Congress this week, declares that "business throughout the country, progressing through well defined circles, is nearing the point of the upward swing of the economic pendulum." The report goes on to say that there are those who believe that the beginning of a revival is not far distant, and when it does definitely set in it will be followed by a new era of prosperity.

The St. Cloud Journal-Press has discovered that Billy Ham is putting up the coin to finance the opposition to Senator Kellogg. And the J.-P. says: "Billy was the big man of the brewery trust in Minnesota, and is logically enough against Kellogg because Kellogg voted for the 18th amendment. That is a point the good women of Minnesota should understand."

Secretary of State Holm has turned over approximately $3,000,000 to Henry Rines, state treasurer, from collections of motor vehicle taxes and in aid from the Federal government for highway construction in Minnesota, to date in 1922. About two-thirds of the automobile registrations have been completed.

Paul H. Kirk, Minnesota agricultural statistician, says that although there has been an increase in livestock on Minnesota farms during the past year, the aggregate value of the livestock held on the farms shows a decrease of more than $40,000,000.

Reports to the Interstate Commerce Commission show that a decline was registered in railroad traffic during 1921 of 23.3 per cent under that of 1920, the greatest ever recorded in American transportation history.

AMUSEMENTS

Norma Talmadge "In the Moth"

There is in "The Moth," the feature now showing at the Lyceum theatre, the kind of story that has a universal appeal. The spectacle of a helpless human atom writhing in the tangled skein woven by her own mistakes and ambitions, finally extricating herself and securing the happiness her heart desires, never loses its fascination for the picture going public.

Norma Talmadge, who plays the title role, is seen at her best in this picture. She runs through the whole gamut of emotions and her handling of the evolution of a young carefree gird, without a care in the world, in to a disappointed, maligned society woman, fighting a horde of enemies in order to obtain the custody of her two young children, is one of the finest things seen on the screen for some time. Playing opopsite Miss Talmadge is Eugene O'Brien, whose role as a dashing, somewhat cynical soldier of fortune fits him like a glove.

"With Stanley in Africa" Starts at the Lyceum Tomorrow

Just as naturally as a duck takes to water, George Walsh and Louise Lorraine take to the tricks and dangerous stunts they perform so excellently in "With Stanley in Africa," the stupendous thirty-reel chapter play which Universal brings to the Lyceum theatre on Friday as its third big historical serial.

Young Jack Cameron, the fictional hero of the thrilling serial, leaves New York City with a three-fold purpose in mind when he starts for the wilds of the Dark Continent. He wishes to study the mysterious octopus plant; he desires to locate the phantom white tribe of Africa and he seeks traces of his father who, years before, was lost from an African expedition.

Nadia, the girl in the case, seems more like a heroine from the pages of a 1922 novel than she does like one from the days of 1871. She is a romantic, exquisite, plucky and wholly efficient young newspaper woman who fights her way through the thirty-



six reels of fascinating picture material with a charm and skill which is most admirable. As the girl-sleuth in this historical epoch she is fascinating.

Her most notable achievement, prior to her work in "With Stanley in Africa,' was as leading lady to Hoot Gibson in "The Fire Eater" and "Headin' West."

In the roles of Cameron and Nadia, both Walsh and Miss Lorraine had many narrow escapes during the filming of the big serial.

This will be part of the school children's program to be given at the Lyceum at 4 o'clock on Friday.

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IS THERE ANY PROBLEM OF GOVERNMENT, COMMERCE, OR INDUSTRY WHICH A PRACTICAL SPIRIT OF MUTUAL SERVICE WILL FAIL TO SOLVE?

STAPLES

Lawrence Bratt spent the week end with his sisters in Superior, Wis.

Lloyd Loso went to Brainerd where he attended an invitation dance given at Elks hall Monday evening.

The Wakantaka Camp Fire Girls held a ceremonial meeting and picnic lunch at the home of Mrs. Louis Hanson on North Fifth street Wednesday evening.

Staples men in speaking of basketball played with the Brainerd high school quint, claimed Staples was not used to the low-girded roof and could not penetrate the Brainerd defense for close shots.

Mrs. Frank Johnson who has been taking treatment at the N. P. hospital in St. Paul has returned to her home in Staples.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Van Hook of Aldrich were shoppers in Staples.

The Pythian Sisters have been in-

The Home Oil company is to erect a new filling station on Fifth street and Second avenue.

PILLAGER

Mrs. S. Dower was visiting relatives in Staples.

The woodmen initiated three members Saturday evening, following which a Dutch lunch was given.

Pillager Council of the Modern Samaritans is to give a masquerade ball.

A birthday party was held Saturday afternoon in honor of Bobby McNair.

Mrs. P. H. Sorg and Mrs. Henry Sorg were Brainerd visitors.

Rheumatism

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WORST SNOW STORM IN YEARS

Drifts at Gull Lake Reported Eight Feet High, Country School Discontinued There

BRAINERD LOADED WITH SNOW

Minnesota & International Passenger Trains Reported Stuck at Pine River and Backus

The blizzard raging in Central Minnesota continued unabated Wednesday, and Thursday finds it piling up greater drifts.

Schools in Brainerd were a negligible quantity Thursday. On Wednesday morning the Washington Birthday exercises were held and Brainerd scholars braved heavy winds and high drifts to get to school. They were dismissed for the day after the exercises.

Thursday morning snow continued to pile up so that the primary class would have been engulfed had they set foot from home. By common consent there was no school in town, said Supt. W. C. Cobb.

Brainerd high school intended to go to St. Cloud Wednesday afternoon to play basketball, but as no train ran they stayed in Brainerd.

The Minnesota & International railway passenger train going north bucked drifts until it stuck at Pine River.

The Minnesota & International railway passenger train coming south to Brainerd lodged in the drifts at Backus.

Trucks struggled through the drifts in Brainerd Wednesday, but on Thursday morning they remained in the garages. Old Dobbin was taken out of the barn and hitched on sleds and cutters. Any age, any model horse was in demand.

Out in the country drifts ranged eight feet and more in height and the milkmen supplying Brainerd floundered through as best they could. Maurice LeMoine went into a big hole coming to town and eventually dug out. Louis Bourassa, like LeMoine, struggled to keep their trade supplied.

Outside newspapers in Brainerd are few and far between. Parcel post was being delivered Thursday morning by Andy Nelson. His flivver was not in service and Andy depended on his legs to get through.

Wire service was demoralized and to get United Press, the Dispatch relayed around St. Cloud and Duluth to connect with St. Paul.

In returning home Wednesday night Supt. Cobb got off the trail for his home and went twice around A. G. Trommald's home before he got through the waist high drifts and back to his bearings.

The Crosby basketball team was snowbound and unable to make Little Falls Wednesday night.

Turcotte Brothers abandoned their fleet of trucks and at added expense hire four teams for coal delivery with two men to a team. One man shovels coal and his side partner shovels snow.

Out at Gull lake government dam the family of A. L. Mampel is in serious predicament. Mr. Mampel his wife and four children ranging from 3 years to 13 years all have the grip and Mr. Mampel can just about get around to nurse the rest. Snow is over eight feet high in drifts. Five head of stock in the barn haven't a wisp of hay and he is feeding rutabagas and potatoes. The wind whips across the lake like a gale. He expects to get out on snowshoes and with the assistance of neighbors get some hay in the box of a sled.

Train Service Crippled

At 11:20 Thursday morning it was announced at the train dispatchers office that all trains, passenger and freight, east and west, had been annulled.

Since Wednesday midnight up to that hour the only train clearing Brainerd was the St. Paul night train ariving late at 1:20 a. m. Thursday and leaving for the north on the Minnesota & International. It got to Pine River and stuck there.

No. 34 of the M. & I., if it ever gets in from the north at Backus, will run to St. Paul Thursday.

Trains Annulled Thursday

Lake Superior division trains annulled Thursday were 55 and 56, 59 and 60, the Merry Widow and all freight trains.

On the main line of the Northern Pacific trains annulled include 9 and 10, and No. 13 of the Winnipeg flier.

Snow Plow Out

The Minnesota & International ordered out a heavy snow plow at 11:30 this morning.

Quite a few express messengers are spending the week end in Brainerd waiting to get out on their trains. They include Charles E. Hill, Patsy Gruchau and others.

Telephones Busy

Phone 53, of the train dispatchers office, was burned out Wednesday answering questions. About the only indoor sport left in Brainerd is calling up on a telephone.

At the Northwestern Bell Telephone company exchange the switch board was alive with business. In volume of business carried it equalled the connections of Armistice Day.

Western Union

The Western Union maintained service and at 11 o'clock Thursday morning had connections with St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth and other points. Traveling men and others marooned in Brainerd freely used the wires to let houses and families know where they were.

Coal Dealers Help

Fuel dealers of Brainerd cooperated to distribute fuel. The Winnor-Adams Lumber company, through Carl Adams, loaned teams and equipment to other firms. One team was supplied to the Lakeside Lumber company and equipment to Turcotte Brothers.

The Lakeside Lumber Co. had four teams delivering coal, being one team from Carl Adams, one of their own and two teams from Martin Hill. Care was taken by all dealers to see that the persons most in need of fuel had their orders delivered first.

The Mahlum Lumber company has two teams hauling. A ton is hauled at a load.

Coal stocks of the city are fairly well up and no suffering is anticipated.

At Telephone Company

At the Northwestern Bell Telephone company 100 per cent of the operators reported for duty.

A tremendous business was done. The normal rate of calls is 625 per hour. These on Thursday morning increased to 4,500 per hour.

Shops Short on Coal

Northern Pacific railway shops will not run Friday and Saturday. They were working Thursday, but the coal on hand about 300 tons, is not enough to operate the shops. It will keep up steam and prevent freezing.

It is expected to open the shops again on Monday.

At Theatres

No pictures were shown at the New Park theatre last night, because lack of trains prevented films from being shipped in.

There will be a show tonight, films having arrived on last night's train.

50TH ANNIVERSARY CITY OF BRAINERD

On Thursday, March 2, General Committee Will Meet to Formulate Plans for Same

"HOME COMING WEEK" PLANNED

Each Day of the Week to Emphasize Some Feature of the Semi-Centennial Celebration

On Thursday, March 2nd, the meeting of the general committee to formulate plans for the fiftieth anniversary, will meet at the Chamber of Commerce.

This committee is made up of members of the various fraternal, labor union, civic and religious organizations of the city, in fact, it is the intention of the original committee that no organization be left out of this plan.

The committee suggests that, if through oversight, any organization has failed to receive notice of this meeting, that it be taken for granted that they are part of this plan and that they should be represented by at least one member of their organization at this meeting. The original plan contemplates a "Home Coming Week," and each day of the week having some definite program in line with the general plan of commemorating the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the City of Brainerd.

BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION PLANNED

The general committee of the Building and Loan Association met Tuesday night and decided to appoint a committee to formulate by-laws for the proposed Building an Loan Association. The members of the committee are W. R. Greenwood, F. E. Little, Elmer Dahl, V. L. Hitch and O. J. Bouma.

The committee called a meeting for Friday night to draft a set of by-laws and report at the next meeting which will be held Tuesday evening, February 28th.

MAPLE GROVE FARM BUREAU

Had an Interesting Meeting at the Home of Henry Rau on Saturday Evening

OVER 100 WERE PRESENT

Program Also Included Singing, Duets Violin Solos and a Gridiron Skit "When We Were Young"

The Maple Grove Farm Bureau had a big meeting at the home of Henry Rau on Saturday evening. Over 100 were present and it was one of the best of the season.

The program included singing, duets, violin solos and was further enlivened by a gridiron skit entitled "When We Were Young", presented by L. C. Rau and Harold Rau, who sang old songs and were dressed up as an old man and woman.

From town there were present Joe Haas and Mr. Swanson of Fourth Avenue.

MAYOR F. E. LITTLE'S PROCLAMATION

I have learned that the "Jewish Relief Fund Appeal" will be made this coming week in our community. I am thoroughly convinced that there is the greatest need for immediate assistance to this pressing call for the starving, naked, defenseless orphans in Europe. I call upon all our citizens of all creeds and nationalities to give from their funds to the utmost when called upon.

Signed,
F. E. LITTLE,
Mayor

MORRISON CO. ASKS FOR PAVING BIDS

For Trunk Highway No. 27 Between North Benton Line and Belle Prairie on March 21

CRUSHED ROCK BASE IS ASKED

Because of a Gravel Base Specification Previously All Bids Had Been Rejected

(Little Falls Daily Transcript)

County Engineer J. E. Viner was advised by the state highway department's construction engineer, O. L. Tipp, in a telephone message from St. Paul, that instructions have been mailed to County Auditor B. Y. McNairy calling for opening of bids for paving trunk highway No. 27 between the northern Benton county line and Belle Prairie in Morrison county on March 21.

County Auditor McNairy will start advertising the call for bids probably Thursday as the department is sending a form for the necessary publications.

The new call will specify a crushed rock base for the paving, as it was because of the gravel base specification in the Butler Bros. bid approved by the board of commissioners and later rejected with all other bids, that the contract was not awarded at the previous meeting.

CLEAN A PATH TO STREET, AID THE MAIL SERVICE

Do you want your mail delivered on time?

If the answer to this question is "yes," citizens should cooperate with the postal service by making the way easier for the city carriers. The deep snow drifts with which the carriers have to contend with have somewhat demoralized service.

The citizens can derive the benefit of improved service if they will clean a path from the mail box to the sidewalk and also clean the sidewalk.

CHAMBER COMMERCE MEETING TONIGHT

The regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held tonight and it is expected that some lively debates will develop on the quesiton of revising the by-laws.

The legislative committee will have a short meeting just prior to the regular meeting and will have a report to make.

The First Baptist Church

The devotional hour at the First Baptist church Thursday evening at 730 o'clock lasting one hour. All members and friends of the church and congregation are urged to be present in the spirit of prayer.

CHARTER GRANTED BRAINERD CHAPTER

Of Disabled American Veterans of the World War, Relief Work Plans Carried Out

PROMPT ATTENTION IS GIVEN

Forms May be Secured from Franz R. N. Anderson at Studio or Eric Bruhn at Houghton's

A charter was granted Brainerd Chapter of Disabled Veterans and it is now officially known as Brainerd Chapter No. 4 of the Disabled American Veterans of the World War.

"Our National Commander", says Eric Bruhn, "is a wonderful man and who swings a powerful club at Washington and is Judge Robert S. Marx with headquarfers at the court house, Cincinnati, Ohio."

Some progressive happenings are under way and any service man who has any claims on the government for disability, training, compensation or hospitalization and has not had the best of results, please take your claim up with Eric Bruhn at Houghton's Jewelry store or Franz R. N. Anderson at Anderssons Studio on Front street, where there are the proper forms to be filled, and which will be sent direct to Washington. At the capital there is a committee to give all such claims prompt attention.

The following report contains a few of the things which transpired when delegates were at Washington:

Relief for Veterans by the Conference

Each of the more than 100 delegates to the conference brought an average of 50 cases of claims of deserving disabled men in their district, who needed relief. This number aggregated more than 5000 cases all of which were adjusted or are in process of satisfactory adjustment as a direct result of four continuous days of conferences and hard work with the government officials. In the first two days of the conference slightly more than 2000 individual cases were actually settled and the checks mailed out while the conference was still in session. It is estimated that the total amount of the checks which will go out to the disabled men of the nation as a direct result of the conference exceeds one half million dollars. Try and picture what this means. Turner E. Campe a delegate from the Tyler Texas Chapter of our organization brought 163 deserving cases to Washington. He settled satisfactorily all but six and he actually saw more than $12,000 in checks mailed out while he was at the Veterans Bureau to disabled men in his district. Dramatize this for yourself. Imagine the happiness which these checks brought to the wounded and disabled men lying in the hospitals or on beds of pain and suffering. Above all, think what it means to the wives and children of thousands of disabled men for the first time are receiving just compensation because of this great conference. National headquarters know of cases of men with tuberculosis who are today slowly dying from their disease and who had never received adequate compensation and whose families were dependnt upon charity an who today as a result of our conference have been made happy by the payment of the compensation to which they are entitled.

Relief was brought to thousands of other men by the clean-up of difficulties in hospitalization and vocational training. More than 100 witnesses testified about hospital conditions and vocational training conditions all over America in the presence of Colonel Frasier, Assistant Director of the Veterans Bureau, and Colonel Reese who has charge of all rehabilitation work. As a result many Rospital conditions and training conditions will be rapidly remedied. For example, one rotten school where men were being given vocational training was closed by telegram as the result of the evidence produced at the conference.

Every one in Washington was impressed with the dignity and good judgement of the conference and particularly with the serious way in which the delegates kept steadily at work for four days and nights. Everyone spoke about the fine character of the men, the common sense with which they acted and the splendid results which they achieved.

STUDY CLASS

"Pictures We Like to Live With" Illustrated With Lantern Slides Saturday

The next Study class programs will be given on Saturday, February 25 at the Chamber of Commerce.

The head of Art Education in the University of Minnesota will give a lecture on "Pictures We Like to Live With," illustrated with lantern slides.

Our Shoe Sale Goes On

Every shoe and oxford now on sale at marked down prices, to close them out at once, nothing reserved. This is the time to purchase your footwear for Spring and Summer. Come while we have your size.

Special Lot 2
Black kid oxfords—imitation turn sole, military heel. A good comfortable well made oxford. Sale price.....$4.29

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SCHOOL FRIDAY, SAID SUPT. COBB

Unfounded Rumors Circulated Stated That School Was Off the Rest of the Week

PARENTS TO USE OWN JUDGMENT

If High Drifts Prevail Again on Friday They Should Exercise Discretion With Little Ones

An unfounded rumor circulated in Brainerd was to the effect that there was to be no school on Friday. This is entirely erroneous. In an interview at the Dispatch office, Supt. W. C. Cobb said:

"Schools will be in regular session on Friday, so far as konwn at present."

"Parents will exercise their own judgment or discretion about sending little ones to school then as they do at other times", said Mr. Cobb in conclusion.

CONSTIPATION
HANDICAPS ANYONE
Strength, Vim and Vigor Follow This Advice

Arco, Minn.—"I went to Camp Dodge for training and to serve Uncle Sam in time of the World War. I had not been feeling very good for several years previous. I had always from childhood been troubled with constipation and it occurred the same way after I entered service. I felt poorly for two months after entering Camp, so I ordered some of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, and I wish to state that by using these Pellets in the proper way I was never disabled from service thru sickness. If any one desires further information regarding Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, I will be more than gald to give desired information." Harry N. Hansen.

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THE PASSING OF THE GOOSEQUILL

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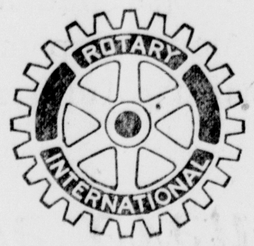
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The SOLUTION of Present-Day Problems

HE PROFITS MOST  WHO SERVES BEST

THE International Convention of Rotary Clubs at Edinburgh, Scotland, in June, 1921, wherein twenty countries were represented, sent forth from its assembly a message of fervent good will to all mankind. United by a common desire to serve, and desiring the true peace and welfare of their fellow men of every race and creed, they proclaimed their faith and commended it as a solution of every difficulty in government, commerce and industry among the peoples of the world. That faith is:

"Whatsoever ye would that men should do unto you, do ye even so unto them"

Again, on its Seventeenth Birthday Anniversary, International Rotary declares its belief that universal dedication to this Spirit of Mutual Service is the need of the world today and asks:

Is there any problem of government, industry or commerce which a practical application of the Golden Rule will fail to solve?

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